

GO GREEN FOR THE HOLIDAYS

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Did you know that trash sent to the landfill **increases an average of 25%** because of the holiday season? Help us take a bite out of that number and **Go Green for the Holidays!**



REDUCE

- Try to buy gift items with the least amount of packaging
- Consider wrapping presents in decorative, reusable fabric instead of paper
- Consider a potted Christmas tree you can plant after the holidays



REUSE

- Cut old holiday cards into fun shapes and use as gift tags
- Bring reusable shopping totes with you on each trip
- Save gift boxes and gift bags and reuse them next year
- Buy recycled wrapping paper or use brightly colored newspaper



RECYCLE

- Recycle all your gift boxes
- Recycle packing materials from items you have delivered
- Recycle NON METALLIC wrapping paper



RECYCLE

- Recycle all greeting cards and envelopes
- Recycle plastic drinking cups with the recycle symbol and numbers 1 – 7
- Recycle the cardboard rolls upon which wrapping paper is wrapped
- Call a UPS Store to recycle packing peanuts – use unbuttered popcorn next time you ship!

